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GERMAN MUTUAL SECESSIONS.

A New Company at Terre Haute-What Mr. Stein Says.

It is reported that about fifty Terre Haute policy holders in the old German Mutual, of ndianapolis, who objected to its reorganization recently, have taken the preliminary step for the organization of a Terre Haute company on the plan of the German Mutual. Fifty-two prominent German citizens of Terre Haute have subscribed for stock. They will drop out of the new Indianapolis company by default, it is claimed.

Theodore Stein, president of the German

Mutual Insurance Company of Indiana, said last night that his company had received no recent information on the question of a reorganization in Terre Haute. Several weeks ago the officers here learned that such a novement was under way, and a representative of the company was sent to Terre to investigate the report. was learned that a former agent the company had been at work stirring up a feeling among the policy holders of the company. The agent, with the assistance of two or three other discontented policy holders, called a mass meeting of members of the old organization, who had continued with the company under the reorganization. Mr. Stein says that the call for the mass meeting brought out nine of the 150 members of the company. He says that this is an illustra-tion of the influence wielded by the warring element in Terre Haute. If a new mutual company is organized, Mr. Stein says it will have no effect on the company here. Mr. Stein is authority for the statement that the business of the company has in-ereased materially since the reorganization. Heretofore the company was managed on the mutual assessment plan. As agents of the regular insurance companies throughout the State found that the younger business then wanted nothing to do with assessment insurance companies, it was thought advisable that the company should be reorganized on the regular, stock insurance company plan, where stipulated rates are paid for insurance. Mr. Stein says that as the policies of the old members expire they are company of the old members expire they are coming back into the company under the new plan. From this circumstance he judges that the plan is generally satisfactory. In Terre Haute, he says, members whose policies expired under the old plan are coming in under e reorganization scheme.

HOT WEATHER RECORD SMASHED That Is for a Corresponding Time in the April Month.

The weather yesterday and Wednesday was the hottest of any April day before the 20th during the last twenty-five years, the length of time the records have been kept in the local weather office. At 7 o'clock in the morning yesterday, the thermometer reache 67 and at 2:10 o'clock it touched the high point, which was the same as Wednesday-87 degrees. At 7 o'clock last night it had fallen to 80 degrees. Wednesday the mini mum temperature was 55 degrees.

There is prospect of cooler weather to-day and probably some thunder showers, in fact, a regular April day is promised, but not with an earnestness that bodes a fulfillment of the promise. It is thought there may be local showers this afternoon, but it is deemed more certain that rain will fall during the

The month is divided into three parts for the purpose of recording maximum and min-imum temperature. The hottest day in the first third of the month of April during the last twenty-five years was April 7, 1898, when the thermometer reached 81; in the second third the hottest day before Wednesday of this year was April 13, 1887, with a temperature of 85, and in the last third was April 28, 1894, with a register of 87 degrees, the same as the highest point yesterday. Thus it is seen that the last nine years have given the ottest weather in the twenty-live years of

MR. RONDTHALER GOES

HIS RESIGNATION, WHICH IS FINAL. SUBMITTED LAST NIGHT.

Tears Follow His Announcement-A Beautiful Letter-Accepts the Fullerton-Avenue Call.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Rondthaler, who has been the pastor of the Tabernacle Church, corner of Meridian and Second street, for eleven years, has resigned to go to Chicago. He will take charge of the Fullerton-avenue Presbyterian Church of that city at a salary of \$5,000 a year. His resignation came last night in the form of a letter read by himself at the regular business meeting of the Tabernacle congregation. The pastor's letter

"My Dear Friends-As time goes on, since my decision a few weeks ago to continue as your pastor, it is becoming more evident that that decision should be reversed. It was probably wisely directed that these weeks should have intervened, since present ditions are far more favorable for my resignation than would have been the case when this matter was first brought before us and when we were unable to decide with that cooler judgment that always comes with time. Since the pressure of circumstances still continues, I am convinced that It is in all respects best for the church as well as for my own usefulness in the Master's cause, that we should at this time come to a kindly separation. This conviction is not caused by anything that you as a people in general have done or omitted to do, for from the sincerity of your word and assurances, you could not have given a stronger evidence of your loyalty, affection and willingness to work with me for a while longer. There are circumstances, however, that prevent me in the exercise of that perfect liberty that a minister should have if he would put the best of himseif into his work-and whole-heartedness is an essential in such work as ours. It is due to you, too, that I should give you other reasons for this letter of resignation.

HIS GREAT LOSS. "You know how much of my life went from me sixteen months ago. I have faithfully endeavored not to permit that great loss to affect my work. But there is not turn in all the familiar places that I do not face the blankness. In every service I conduct in this church, I suffer the keenness of orrow in the absence of one who was my earthly stay and comfort and help. You can correctly argue that I should be true to my own preaching and lean wholly upon God. He knows that I do that; and in return He is constantly making me feel that I am not doing my best work. While many of you hold me by your loyalty and great love, God is pressing upon me by inward conviction and crowding me by outward event and circumstances. Then, too, you will remember that I have been here for eleven and a half that I have been here for eleven and a half years, a long pastorate in these times when the eagerness for change is great and when the best of us weary of sameness, though so far as many of you are concerned, your loyalty and affection will not allow you to admit it now, but I am sure in time you will find that unconsciously you were dulled by the monotony of the same voice. It is given to only a few men to remain fresh and vigorous to the same people for an unlimited orous to the same people for an unlimited period of years. I have often wondered that your interest has continued so long. I cannot expect to reach your hearts and direct your lives as when in earlier years, newness of expression and methods of thought has added to the declaration of the thought has added to the declaration of the great and unchanging truths of the gospel. My recognition of this growing difficulty of teaching you as a people should be by their minister, saps the sincerity of my enthusiasm and weakens that sense of power a man should have in his pulpit ministry and pastoral relations.

"Because of these conditions and circumstances I have concluded to ask you to unite with me in requesting the Presbytery of Indianapolis, at its meeting next week, to dissolve my pastoral relations to this church, dissolve my pastoral relations to this church, to take effect on the 30th of this month. This decision has been reached after most careful deliberation and the earnest seeking for the direction of the Heavenly Father and I am therefore very firm in the request, believing it to be the will of God concerning you and me. It is one of the unwritten laws of this church that it is considered final when any one declines a position or resigns an office, and however much it may be deplored such action is accepted by the congregation. I believe you will be obedient to this unwritten law, which is as wise and excellent as any we have in our printed rules. Furthermore, I ask you to help me bear the great distress of my separation from you and this work, by making it easy for me to go. Trusting entirely in your great love that you will not judge me harshly for this step, I remain sincerely and affectionately your friend."

TEARS AND SOBS.

TEARS AND SOBS. Dr. Rondthaler concluded his letter of resignation with considerable feeling and in broken tones. His words fell upon surprised ears, for there were few members of the congregation who were expecting his resignation at this time. The majority of the members had no idea that Dr. Rondthaler would reconsider his decision to remain with the church, made a few weeks ago, and they felt secure in their pastor. His letter aroused the keenest regret among those present and many were in favor of declining to accept his resignation. Attorney Brown said the church ought not to allow Dr.

Rondthaler to go.
"If this church," said he, "voluntarily votes to send him away I say frankly, that success should not come to the church.' W. C. Hall was in favor of the church asking Dr. Rondthaler to withdraw his resignation and remain, but in the event that the pastor could not do so, he did not think the church should be selfish. Dr. Rondthaler replied that he could not reconsider his ac-

tion, because it was final. "You are making it very hard for me," he said, appealingly, "men may come and men may go, but this church will live on." Elder John Scott, one of the closest of the pastor's friends, urged that the resignation

"We can't afford to be selfish," he said, "and in view of all the facts, we must let him go. He is God's servant and he must go where the spirit of God calls him." Many others disapproved of the pastor's action and the entire congregation showed its great love for him by kind words. Tears stood in the eyes of many and Dr. Rondthaler, his frame shaking with sobs, begged the moderator to put the question to a vote and end the distressing scene. Finally the congregation gave the pastor his release by a vote to eighty-nine to fifty-two. It was clear that those who voted to accept the pastor's resignation did so unwillingly, but with the feeling that they could best show their regard for their beloved pastor that

Dr. Rondthaler consented to remain with Dr. Rondthaler consented to remain with the church until the next communion, the date of which is to be selected. Two members of the congregation will be sent as commissioners to the presbytery to state the position taken by the pastor. Dr. Rondthaler expressed great regret at leaving the city. Said he: "I dislike to go from the city fully as bad as I dislike leaving the church, and nothing but stern necessity would cause me to sever my connections." would cause me to sever my connections

QUARTER OF A MILLION IN PURSES. Grand Circuit Reorganized, with In-

dianapolis in It.

At a meeting at Cleveland yesterday the Grand Trotting Circuit was reformed, with Indianapolis, Fort Wayne and Columbus as new members. The rigid anti-pool selling laws of some of the Eastern States made it necessary for some of the cities which had formerly been members to withdraw. The different cities were represented as follows. Indianapolis being represented by President D. J. Campau, of the Detroit Driving Club: Detroit, President D. J. Campau and Secretary Campbell; Cleveland, President William Edwards and Secretary S. W. Giles; Saginaw, C. L. Benjamin; Columbus, C. E. Conrad; New York (Fleetwood Park), S. W.

Giles and A. W. Parrish; Fort Wayne, H. It is still possible that Buffalo may become a member of the circuit if pending legislation at Albany gets through. Philalphia is also among the possible mem-

Indianapolis will have trotting races Aug. 17 to 22, and will offer \$20,000 in purses. The total money to be offered on the circuit will be more than \$225,000. The dates and the money offered, so far as known now, are: Saginaw, July 14 to 17, \$15,000; charged Britzlaff and lectured Johnson se-

July 27 to 31, \$40,000; Columbus, Aug. 3 to 7, \$35,000; Fort Wayne, Aug. 10 to 15, \$25,000; New York, Aug. 31, to Sept. 4, \$45,000.

The races in this city will be in the week following the time at Fort Wayne, and then the horses will go to New York. Entering the Grand Circuit insures Indianantering the Grand Circuit insures Indianapolis of first-class horses, in fact the best in the country, for this circuit will offer more money than any other and will draw all the best horses. It is believed here that than \$20,000 before the time comes to prepare the programme and name the purses. This is a smaller amount than has been offered in recent years, when the city was not in the Grand Circuit, and had to get along the best it could with second-rate horses, but now that it is in the Grand Circuit it will draw horses that will bring much larger crowds to the city than in for-

CARD COMPANY PLANS

EIGHT OF THE DIRECTORS WILL CALL ON WORKS BOARD TO-DAY.

Arrived Here Last Night, but Decline to Discuss the Proposed Consolidation Here.

F. M. Curtis, of the United States card works, received a telegram last night from Cincinnati, asking that a meeting be arranged between the directors of the company and the Board of Public Works. The directors of the company were in session yesterday, and there is much concern to know what was done concerning the removal of the Indiana plant to Cincinnati, or the consolidation of all the plants here. Mr. Curtis stated that he was absolutely unable to say what had been done, as the telegram contained no

Samuel J. Murray, general superintendent of the company's interests here, accompanied by a committee of eight of the directors, arrived at the Grand Hotel last night, and will go before the Board of Works this morning. They declined to discuss the question of the moving of the plant. Mr. Murray said the company had come here to look over the city and see what could be done. When asked if the interpretation of the action of the committee in coming here, as given above, was

"Yes; I guess that is about right. There are two other places which the committee will visit before making any decision. Midletown and Dayton (O.) are applicants, and are working hard for the company's plants." "Did the directors take any action looking to the ultimate consolidation of the plants at

"Not exactly; that is, there was no definite ection taken. This committee will look over the ground at the three cities, and then make its report to the board of directors, after

which final action will be taken." This city is looked upon with favor on account of its shipping facilities, and also because of the natural gas, and the fact that it is large enough to furnish all the help necessary to run such a plant. There are many boys and girls employed, and in small places the supply is not always equal to the demand. The committee held a meeting last night at the Grand Hotel for the purpose of further considering what action to take while here, but would not make public anything that was

Taken in connection with what has been known in regard to the plans of the directors, this action is looked upon to mean that the company will unite its plants here if the Board of Works will agree to make certain improvements in the neighborhood of the plant, which is located on Gatling street and the Belt railroad, one block west of Shelby

Some time ago Mr. Beaty, a property owner in the neighborhood of the plant, called on the Mayor and Board of Works and said the directors of the card company, which owns three factories, one being in New York and one in Cincinnati, desired to consolidate them, and would move the other two to this city if the board would make certain im-provements, which the company deemed real-ly necessary. He said the company wanted Beecher street, which is the first street north of the factory, opened from Shelby to East street, a bridge built over Pleasant run. This is necessary because of the fact that many of the employes of the factory live in the neighborhood of East and Beecher streets, and cannot now get to the factory without walking a half mile or more out of their way or crossing Pleasant run on the Belt bridge, which is dangerous.

There are very few improved streets in the neighborhood of the factory, most of them being nature's mud. The company also wants some of the other less important streets graveled and sidewalks built. It is also asked that water mains be extended to the factory. that water mains be extended to the factory. There is no water main within less than 1,500 to 2,000 feet of the factory now, although there is a large double cistern in Gatling street in front of the factory. If the place is enlarged and there should be a fire, this cistern would not be ample for protection. It is understood that with these improvements the directors would vote to move their other plants to this city, which would give employment to more than 1,200 people, mostly boys and girls of poor families, who need the money and could not find employment elsewhere.

There will be objection to some of the improvements desired on the part of the property owners, on whom the burden would fall, and it might be necessary to ask the Council to pass the resolutions over the remonstrance of the people, which would undoubtedly be done. There is a large territory in the neighborhood of the factory which is rapidly building up, although the houses front on streets which have never even been graveled. Improvements are a necessity for the comfort of the residents and would constitute. comfort of the residents, and would greatly increase the value of the property.

The Board of Works will be in session this morning, and will meet the representatives of the company. In answer to Mr. Beaty, the board said it would do anything in reason in the way of improvements for the company, and would build the bridge asked for.

INJUNCTION AGAINST ROBY.

Clerk of Court Expects to See One Filed Almost Any Time.

It is reported from Crown Point that neither Governor Matthews nor Attorneygeneral Ketcham will take any steps to stop racing at the Forsythe track for some days yet. Four murder cases are to be tried at a special term of court, which will convene April 20, and which will occupy at least ten days. By this time the pres-ent fifteen days' meeting will expire. Coun-ty officials at Crown Point believe that Governor Matthews is determined to knock out racing and are now confident that as soon as the second period of racing commences it will be called to a halt by injunctions from the Governor. The clerk of the court expects to have an injunction filed against the Forsythe people at almost any time. It is said Governor Matthews will first try injunctions. If that fails the bookies will catch it with warrants.

DYING CONVICT PARDONED. Albert Horseh, Sent Up from This County for Five Years.

Albert Horsch was pardoned from the northern penitentiary yesterday. Warden Harley wrote that Horsch had but two or three weeks to live, being in the last stages of consumption. Horseh was sentenced to five years from the Marion county court in October, 1895, on a charge of burglary and grand larceny. He was but twenty years of age and a stranger here, having come from Hamilton, O., where he had an excellent reputation. He met with reverses and was driven to crime. A broken-hearted mother has worked untiringly ever since to secure his pardon. Ex-Governor Campbell, of Ohio, and other prominent citizens of that State have petitioned for the re-

Will E. Johnson Was Scored.

Will E. Johnson was shown up in an unenviable light in Police Court yesterday morning. Some days ago he left his bicycle standing at the curbstone for a few moments. Theodore R. Britzlaff drove up while he was absent, and, it is charged, left his horse unhitched. The horse became restless and moved along the edge of the sidewalk, demolishing Johnson's wheel. Johnson then had a warrant issued for Britzlaff's arrest, charging him with leaving his horse un-hitched. Instead of taking the warrant to Judge Cox for his signature, Johnson went to Britzlaff and showed him the warrant threatening to have him arrested if he did not pay for the wheel. Britzlaff regarded the demand as a species of blackmail and refused

A WILD WESTERN BOLT

A UTAH REPUBLICAN TALKS OF FREE SILVER COMBINATION.

Says the Western States May Indorse the Bimetallic League Nominees.

S. A. Paradice, member of the Republican State committee of Utah, is stopping at the Grand Hotel. He is the bearer of heavy responsibilities in the way of news. In a conversation last evening Mr. Paradice announced that a compact had been formed among the Republican leaders of six silver States to bolt the St. Louis convention case the free silver cause is not given full recognition in the platform, and support the nominees which, it is presumed, will be placed before the country by the convention of the Bimetallic League, which meets at

"The refusal of the St. Louis convention

to concede the demand for free coinage,"

said Mr. Paradice, "will mean the formation

of a free-silver party that will sweep the West. The Republicans of Utah, Colorado, Montana, Wyoming, Idaho and Nevada are good Republicans, but we are in earnest about this. We have agreed to send our delegates to St. Louis. There they will fight for silver and if they are turned down those same delegates will attend the bimetallic convention and participate in its proceedings and we shall support its nominees. We have great hopes that both Oregon and California will join the compact, but it is not yet settled that they will. The six States I mention will have nineteen votes in the electoral college and it is not impossible that they should hold the balance of power in that body. In that case there would be some pretty strong pledges to silver before President could be elected. But these six States are not the only ones that will back the demand for silver. It we should be forced to put a bimetallic ticket in the field, then look out for every State west of the Mississippi. I know something about the feeling among the rank and file of the people and I believe it would carry every trans-Mississippi State, with the possible exception of Iowa. There would be no question about Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas and Texas."

Mr. Paradice's idea of a Western rebellion is not very terrifying when the figures are considered. In all likelihood the Republicans considered. In all likelihood the Republicans will carry Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, California, Connecticut, Maine, North Dakota, Vermont, West Virginia and Wisconsin, giving them a total of 270 votes, with but 224 votes required to elect. The changes are that they will also elect. The chances are that they will also carry Kentucky, Maryland and Tennessee, but leaving those entirely out, the Repub-licans have a clean margin of 56 votes that they could lose. Leaving out these States alleged to be in the silver compact, the Republicans have, west of the Mississippi—barring Iowa, where the silver sentiment is no stronger than in Indiana—California, Oregon, North and South Dakota, Kansas, Nebraska and Mirnesota. All these combined have but 46 votes, and even should Mr. Paradice's wildest dream come true, the Republican nominee would still be elected by a margin

TERRE HAUTE COMES TO TOWN. it Cheered Lustily for Representative Faris and R. W. McKeen,

of ten votes.

The political enthusiasm of Terre Haute s something irrepressible. Shortly after 5 o'clock last evening a big crowd that had been in attendance at the Martinsville convention struck the city. They marched up from the Union Station in a body, headed by Representative Faris, who had just been renominated, and Senator Kerns, of Vermillion county. They halted in front of the Journal office long enough to give three rousing cheers for Faris and then three igger ones and a tiger for McKeen. They then pursued their march to the Denison House, where they broke into the McKeen neadquarters and were cordially received by Secretary Oglesbee.

James T. Johnston, the Fifth district's candidate for Governor, made a speech that aroused enthusiasm and was followed by cellent talk. Congressman Faris was the last talker to be called out and made one of his best efforts. Three more cheers for McKeen and a box of cigars ended the impromptu jollification.

A Secret Silver Meeting.

A few of the leaders of the silver wing of the Democracy held a secret meeting at the Grand Hotel yesterday afternoon, presided | Castle. over by Allen W. Clark, of Greensburg. They were very mysterious about their proceedings and declared that there was nothing to be said. Mr. Clarke had called them together and urged more activity in the work of organization in the northern part of the State.

Political Notes. J. A. Mount, of Crawfordsville, will address the West Indianapolis Republicans at pencer's Opera House to-night. The Republican Club of the Eighth pre-cinct, Tenth ward, will hold its regular meeting at 16 South Liberty street, to-night. The Doxey Republicans of the Ninth ward neld a meeting last night at Bates and Leota streets and organized a club with the name of their favorite for the club's name. The club will meet again next Wednesday night. The officers are Charles Dupont, president; James Ray, vice president; resident: James Ray, vice

Charles Durant, secretary. The Commercial Travelers' Club will give a reception to the Republican candidates on the State and county tickets at the clubrooms, No. 89% North Pennsylvania street, to-morrow evening. As all of the candidates have signified their intention to attend, this will be the most enthusiastic meeting held this year.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

Mrs. Wilson, of Crawfordsville, is visiting riends in the city. Mrs. Frank Stevenson has gone to Martinsville to spend a week. Mrs. Olive E. McGrew returned from Crawfordsville yesterday.

Mrs. Edward Platt will return to-day from a visit to Louisville. Dr. Reginald W. Garstang and brother Fred left yesterday for a two weeks' visit

Mrs. James W. Lilly will discontinue her eception day (Monday) for the remainder Mrs. William G. Maguire will entertain a number of friends of Miss Georgetta Taylor

Miss Lucy Hamilton will entertain the card club of which she is a member Mon-

Miss Annie Sloan, of Cincinnati, is visit-ing her sister, Mrs. Charles R. Dryer, on Mrs. Thomas Montgomery, of St. Louis, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Bassett, has returned home. Miss Amelia M. Brown will leave this norning for Cleveland, where she will spend

Mrs. Jacquelin S. Holliday will entertain friends this afternoon for Mrs. William Channing Cushing, of Pittsburg. Mrs. E. S. R. Seguin will leave in a few days for Denver to visit Major E. W. Halford and daughter, Mrs. Benedict. Mrs. S. A. Fletcher has issued invitations for a small company Tuesday in honor of her niece Miss Louise Bright, of Lexington,

several months with relatives.

Miss Maria Fletcher, who came to attend the wedding of her sister and Mr. Church-man, will return to Phillipsburg, Pa., to-Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Snow and Mr. J. Maurice Butler have returned from their trip to Europe and are with Mrs. John M. Butler, on North Meridian street.

Mr. Charles Hubbard, of Chicago, who has been in Cincinnati attending a wedding, will be in the city to-day to visit his father, Mr. William S. Hubbard, en route home. Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wasson and daughter and Miss Mary Knippenberg have gone to New York. Mr. Wasson will return the last of the week and the ladies will remain for a fortnight.

The members of the first division of the Women's Business and Social Union of Roberts Park Church will give a dime social at Mrs. Compton's home, 172 North Delaware street, this afternoon, from 3 to 5

The advanced pupils of the Metropolitan School of Music will give a recital Tuesday evening at Plymouth Church. Among those who are to take part are Misses Sarah Meigs, Bessie Beck, Esther Swain, Lavinia McKenna, Jeannette Crouse, Josephine Rob-inson. Pearl Waugh of Tipton, Louise Schrader, Catherine and Lida Bell, Jessie Sweet, Clara Haueisen, Esther Willcox, Mrs. Winifred Hunter Mooney, Mr, Byron Over-

street and Mr. Dochez. The vocal depart-ment will give a concert at Tomlinson Hall next month, when there will be a programme of solos, choruses, trios, quartets and en-semble numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dewenter and Miss Dewenter gave a handsome party last even-ing at their home on North Alabama street. Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Dewenter were assisted in receiving their guests by their visitors, Miss Mary Wagner, of Lafayette, and Miss Mitchell, of Hamilton, Ontario. Mrs. Dewenter wore a brocaded silk with a blending of lavender, green and yellow. The front of the corsage was of white chiffon with white lace and garniture of parti-colored beads. Miss Dewenter wore a gown of rich mode brocade with a corsage of the same, trimmed with green velvet and pink and white passementerie. Miss Wagner wore white mousselaine de sole over blue silk and trimmed with lace, and Miss Mitchell's gown was of white. The ladies all carried large bouquets of pink roses. The rooms were artistically decorated with palms and a profusion of roses of different colors in the parlors and library. The usicians in the latter were screened by a mass of paims. Assisting in the pariors were Mrs. Burton Parrott, Mrs. John J. Price and Mrs. R. R. Shiel. The punch table was in the second parlor and it was decorated with pink roses scattered over the cloth. The decoration of the dining room cloth. The decoration of the dining room table was with two Napoleon wreaths of pink and green and a large bowl of pink roses in the center. The punch was served by Miss Blanche Greenan, Miss Clara Kruse, Miss Jeannette Herron, Miss Lucille Herron and Miss Nanetta Grotte. Invitations were issued to more than three hundred friends, many of whom were present during the reception hours from 8 to 11 o'clock.

GEN. AND MRS. HARRISON RECEIVE General and Mrs. Benjamin Harrison observed their first reception day since their marriage yesterday afternoon and last evening, welcoming their friends at their home on North Delaware street. When they sent out cards announcing their mar-riage there was also inclosed the "at home" card. General and Mrs. Harrison received just within the parlor door, and the callers were announced by Mr. Clifford Arrick, the General presenting each wisitor to his wife. Mrs. Harrison wore an elegant reception gown of white silk, with figures of crimson roses and leaves in small bouquets scat-tered over it. The skirt was made full, after the prevailing mode. The corsage was trimmed with revers of turquoise blue velvet, with rich lace insertion laid on. About her throat and falling over the front About her throat and falling over the front of the corsage was her strand of pearls, her wedding gift. The rooms were tastefully adorned with great vases of roses of every hue, and carnations and lilies, many of them sent by friends. In the dining room only pink roses were used. The table was laden with beautiful silver, and the length of the center was decorated with three tall stem vases of silver elaborately chased, filled with nodding Mermet roses. The buffet and mantel held vases of pink roses. Mrs. Clifford Arrick sat at one end of the table and poured tea from a dainty service, and Miss Jessie Miller assisted.

Mrs. Arrick wore a heavy black satin gown, with a waist of yellow satin covered with white chiffon, and had a large bunch of violets. Miss Miller wore an embroidered thin brown linen over light green silk, and thin brown linen over light green slik, and had pink roses. Ices were passed through the room. There were several hundred callers. The daylight filled the rooms during the afternoon hours. General and Mrs. Harrison will receive on Thursdays in April. They are to be the guests of honor at a number of entertainments before going away for the summer. RUSHVILLE WEDDINGS.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. RUSHVILLE, Ind., April 16.-William E. Shipley, a Wabash business man, and Miss Sarah Fleener, daughter of Thomas Fleener, of Arlington, were married by Rev. J. H.
MacNell at the parsonage of the Christian
Church last night. After a bridal supper at
the Windsor Hotel Mr. and Mrs. Shipley
left for Wabash to make that city their

Michael Kelly, of this city, was married yesterday, at St. Mary's Church, Richmond, to Miss Agnes Dolan, a prominent young woman in Catholic circles in that city. Father McMullen, assisted by Father Manling, officiated. D. O'Meara, of Muncie, was groomsman, and Miss Green, of Dayton, did the honors for the bride. After a wedding breakfast at the bride's home, the bridal party came to Rushville last night to spend the honeymoon They will go to house-keeping in Richmond. RICHMOND WEDDINGS.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. RICHMOND, Ind., April 16.-Last evening at the home of the bride took place the marriage of Miss Evelyn May Alexander and Mr. Alvin F. Coate, of Terre Haute.
The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of guests, the officiating clergyman being the Rev. Leslie J.
Noftzger, pastor of Grace M. E. Church.
The bride was attended by Miss Edna Jes-The bride was attended by Miss Edna Jessup, of this city, her cousin, and the groom by Mr. Herman O. Miles, of Terre Haute, his cousin. Mr. and Mrs. Coate left for a wedding trip to the South, from which they will return to reside at Terre Haute.

Mr. Arthur D. Spencer, of New Castle, and Miss Pearl Kotler, of this city, were united in marriage yesterday by the Rev. I. M. Hughes, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. They will reside at New Castle.

COLUMBUS WEDDINGS. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. COLUMBUS, Ind., April 16.-Eivin Hick Just in from and May M. Treadway, the daughter of Col. Dick Treadway, eloped to Shelbyville last evening and were married. Objections of the bride's father caused their action.

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